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6 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
7 **DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

8 GEORGE W. GIBBS,

9 Petitioner,

10 vs.

11 ROBERT LEGRAND,

12 Respondent.

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) 2:11-cv-00750-KJD-RJJ
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ORDER

13 In this habeas corpus action, counsel appeared on July 13, 2011, on behalf of petitioner
14 (ECF No. 19). Petitioner's counsel is Debra A. Bookout, Assistant Federal Public Defender, 411 E.
15 Bonneville, Suite 250, Las Vegas, Nevada, 89101. Respondents have not appeared in this action, as they
16 have not been served with the petition.

17 The Court will set a schedule for further proceedings in this action.

18 **IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED** that the Clerk shall **electronically** serve the petitioner
19 (ECF No. 18) and a copy of this Order on respondents. Respondents shall file a notice of appearance
20 in the action within twenty days thereof.

21 **IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that counsel for petitioner shall meet with petitioner as
22 soon as reasonably possible, if counsel has not already done so, to: (a) review the procedures applicable
23 in cases under 28 U.S.C. § 2254; (b) discuss and explore with petitioner, as fully as possible, the
24 potential grounds for habeas corpus relief in petitioner's case; and (c) advise petitioner that all possible
25 grounds for habeas corpus relief must be raised at this time in this action and that the failure to do so will
26 likely result in any omitted grounds being barred from future review.

1 **IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that petitioner shall have **ninety [90 days]**, to file and
2 serve an amended petition for writ of habeas corpus, which shall include all known grounds for relief
3 (both exhausted and unexhausted). Respondents shall have **forty five (45) days** after service of an
4 amended petition within which to answer, or otherwise respond to, the amended petition. If petitioner
5 does not file an amended petition, respondents shall have **forty five (45) days** from the date on which
6 the amended petition is due within which to answer, or otherwise respond to, petitioner's original
7 petition.

8 **IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that if and when respondents file an answer, petitioner
9 shall have **thirty (30) days** after service of the answer to file and serve a reply.

10 **IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that counsel for respondents shall make available to
11 counsel for petitioner (photocopying costs at the latter's expense), as soon as reasonably possible, copies
12 of whatever portions of the state court record they possess regarding the judgment petitioner is
13 challenging in this case.

14 DATED: July 19, 2011



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17 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE
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